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In re application of: Nguyen et al.

Attorney Docket No.:  
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Application No.: 10/080,913

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit/Declaration
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449  
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- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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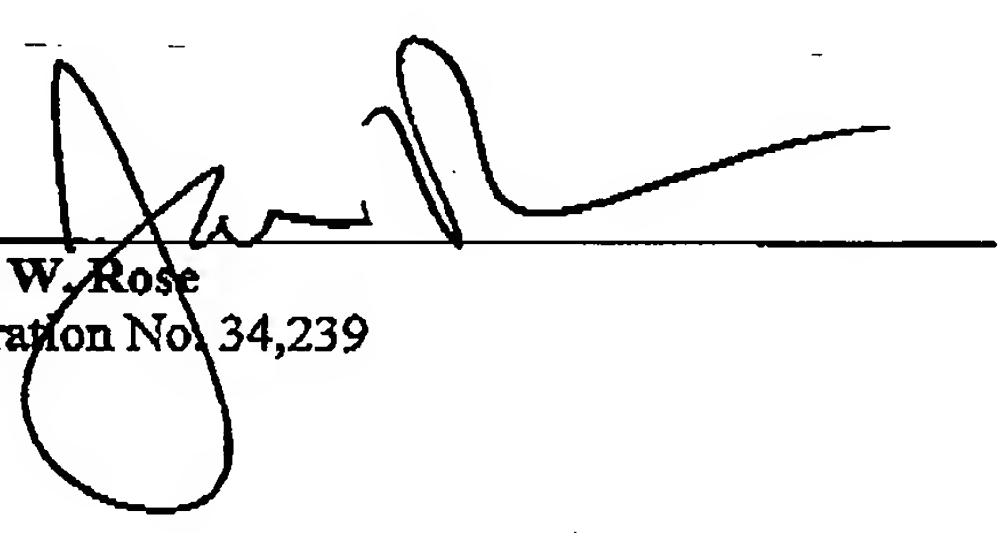
- ☒ a. Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time.
- ☐ b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ c. Enclosed is our Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the RCE fee, extension of time and additional fees.
- ☒ d. The Director is authorized to charge \$880.00 (\$770.00 RCE Fees and \$110.00 for a One Month Extension of Time to Respond) any fees beyond the amount stated which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NSC1P131XI)

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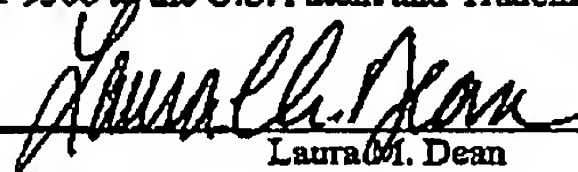
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**AMENDMENT D**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated January 22, 2004, the Applicants have filed an Request for Continued Examination. Please enter the amendments and consider the Applicants' remarks as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which being on page 2 of this papers.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.